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## NEW GAS RATE FOR BIG USERS

I. N. U. ANNOUNCES NEW SCHEDULE FOR THOSE WHO BURN OVER 5000 FEET.

## OFFICIALS HAVE CONFERENCE

Superintending Officers of District Met at Dixon Inn This Afternoon.

The Illinois Northern Utilities company has announced a reduction in the gas rate to the larger consumers, the new rates being as follows: First 5000 cubic feet, \$1.15 net. 5000 to 15,000 cu. ft., \$1.10 net. 15,000 to 30,000 cu. ft., 90c net. 30,000 to 50,000 cu. ft., 80c net. Over 50,000 cu. ft., 70c net.

The reduced rates will benefit many of the business houses and other institutions, as there are many places here, according to the officials of the company, who use from 5000 to 30,000 cubic feet each month.

### Officials Met Today.

The officials of the various departments, the district superintendents and their assistants of the Illinois Northern Utilities company met in a conference at the Dixon Inn this afternoon.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss matters of importance to the company and make plans for carrying on the work of the company.

Besides the local officials in attendance were J. E. Harlo of Chicago, mechanical engineer, E. S. Davidson of DeKalb, district superintendent, G. B. Fluhr, Mendota, assistant district superintendent, C. A. Stevens, Mendota, district superintendent, A. W. Bush, Sterling, assistant superintendent, L. D. Gray, local manager at Amboy, C. I. Danielson, local manager at Oregon, J. W. Lasher, Mendota, assistant superintendent, and W. L. Palmer, Chicago, claim agent.

## YOUNG PRINCETON GIRL

SHOT BY COUSIN

Viola Oberg, an eleven year old Princeton girl, was accidentally shot Friday afternoon by her cousin, Walter Archer, a boy her own age, with whom she was playing at the home of their grandfather, Claus Oberg, of Columbus St.

The children were on the floor examining a 22-calibre rifle. During the process a cartridge in the gun exploded and the bullet struck the little girl in the left limb, entering the knee and forcing its way out through the thigh.

## PRINCETON CONTRACTS

FOR AUTO FIRE TRUCK

The Princeton city council by a vote of five to one entered into a contract Friday night for the purchase of an American-La France motor propelled combination hose wagon and chemical engine at a cost of \$5,550.

## BUNCH OF KEYS FOUND.

Thomas Young has a bunch of keys at the Nachusa hotel that were found on the street, four trunk keys and four flat keys. Owner may have same by paying for this ad.

## LECTURE ON EGYPT.

E. T. Bailey will give the third lecture in the Holy Land series at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening. The subject will be "Egypt." The pictures of the Sphinx promises to be of unusual interest because of some new discoveries in regard to it.

## SANG BEAUTIFUL DUET.

The Misses Yarger and Dimick of the college sang a beautiful duet last evening at the Christian Endeavor meeting at the First Presbyterian church.

## IS VERY ILL.

Capt. Phil McGrath, who has been seriously ill for some time, remains about the same.

## MOTHER'S GRIEF BROUGHT

DEATH AFTER 3 YEARS

Mrs. Kasmier Mullonwiski, a 70-year old resident of Peru, died Friday morning from grief resulting from the death of her son, who was lost in the Cherry mine disaster on Nov. 13, 1909.

## BULLETIN

### SUFFRAGETTES BURN STATIONS

London, Mch. 10.—Special to Telegraph—Suffragettes this morning set fire to the Sanderson railroad station of the Great Western road and allowed the flames to completely destroy the structure. They also burned Croxley Green on, the London Northwestern.

Placards reading, 'Burning to Get Votes for Women,' were posted about the burning buildings in conspicuous places.

### FEDERALS EXECUTED.

Laredo, Tex., Mch. 10.—Special to Telegraph—A band of federals who were captured by Mexican rebels of the Carranza forces yesterday at Lampas, Mexico, were placed before the firing squad and executed last night.

### DISASTROUS EXPLOSION.

Glasgow, Scotland, Mch. 10.—Special to Telegraph—Eight men were killed and hundreds injured by an explosion of dynamite at the Nobles Works near Arder today. The blast destroyed all the buildings in the town of Irvine.

## ELECTION OFFICIALS WAITING FOR PAY

THOSE WHO ACTED ON PARK ELECTION BOARD WONDER WHO WILL SETTLE.

Judges and clerks who officiated at the recent special election on the proposition of organizing Dixon township into a park district are still wondering where they are going to get their pay for the work. There is no appropriation whereby the board of supervisors are enabled to pay the bills and as the election, which was held Monday, Jan. 27, resulted in the defeat of the proposition, there is no park district to pay the expense. It is reported that the officials of the election will make an effort to collect their pay from the township by bringing the matter before the town meeting, which will be held on Tuesday, April 1st.

## WARD AND JOE IN GAME ALL TIMES

DIXON'S BALL PLAYERS WITH CHICAGO TEAMS DISTINGUISH THEMSELVES.

Dixon's ball players with the Chicago major league teams distinguished themselves yesterday, Joe Kernan playing second base for the White Sox seconds at Los Angeles, came across with a home run with two men on the sacks. He accepted five chances in the field without an error, too.

At Tampa, Ward Miller lead his Cub Yannis against the Ft. Dade team and won, 13 to 9, in seven innings. Ward set the pace for his players by gathering four hits, two runs and two put outs. One of his bingles went for two sacks.

## FORCE GIRL GRADUATES

ALL TO DRESS ALIKE

Moline, Mch. 8.—Caps and gowns were ordered by the board of education for high school graduates. The purpose of this move is to eliminate strife between the 'sweet girl graduates' over the commencement dresses.

## TEACHERS' TRAINING CLASS

The subject for study tonight at the teachers' training class at the Y. M. C. A., in charge of E. T. Bailey, is 'The Test of Abraham's Faith.' Hour of the class, 7:30.

## HOME PHONE REPAIRS LINES.

All of the Home Telephone company's lines, with the exception of the Amboy line, which were put out of commission by the storm of Feb. 21 and 22, are again in use. It is expected that the Amboy line will be repaired within the next few days.

## HAVE BABY BOY.

A baby boy was born to Postmaster and Mrs. Wm. L. Frey this morning. As a result the genial postmaster has no time to talk politics or to contemplate what the change in the administration may bring about.

## WHITE RIBBON RULES

New Administration Takes Stand on Intoxicants.

No Wines or Liquors Will Be Served by the Wilson or Marshalls It Is Reported.

Washington, March 10.—It is stated that the Wilson-Marshall administration will be a "white ribbon" affair, with no wines or liquors served at any entertainment. Not only do the president and Mrs. Wilson and their daughters taboo the sparkling cup, but so also do the vice-president and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and other members of the cabinet.

When Secretary of State and Mrs. Bryan had the British ambassador as a luncheon guest several days ago Mrs. Bryan announced that neither she nor Mr. Bryan drank wines and she knew Mrs. Bryce did not.

Some years ago Mrs. John B. Henderson caused the wines in her home to be emptied into the gutters in the effort to stop the tendency in Washington society to the too free use of wines and liquors. While the results of Mrs. Henderson's efforts were not far reaching, the move of the president and Mrs. Wilson the vice-president and Mrs. Marshall, the secretary of state and Mrs. Bryan and others at least puts a quietus on wine drinking when they entertain and are entertained.

Mrs. Champ Clark took the initiative in the congressional set after Mr. Clark became speaker and had only cooling grape juice punches and lemonade served.

## EXPRESS BY PARCEL POST

Companies Reaping Harvest on Shipments Made in This Way.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 10.—That express companies are reaping a rich harvest of profit on shipments through the medium of the parcel post has been unearthed by Milwaukee postal authorities. A Detroit man, entertaining suspicions against the express companies, paid 40 cents for express shipment of a box of cigars from Detroit to Milwaukee. He then came to Milwaukee and received at the Milwaukee address the same package, sent by parcel post for 22 cents, leaving a profit of 18 cents to the express company.

## MUST BUY CHECKS TO SEND PARCELS NOW

NEW RULING ON S. D. & E. ALLOWS PARCELS TO BE TAKEN ON PASSENGER CAR.

Superintendent A. W. Courmyer of the S. D. & E. Electric, announced today that he had inaugurated a new system for the transportation of parcels between Dixon and Sterling, and that from now on, contrary to the recent ruling, small parcels, at least, would be carried on all passenger cars as well as the express. As soon as the newly purchased passenger car arrives, which will be some time, freight of all kinds can be handled as readily as passengers, for the interurban will have an express compartment. Passengers may then have their trunks taken aboard the same car with them, which is considerable of a convenience.

It will be necessary to purchase checks at the R. R. station before parcels can be shipped via interurban.

## APPLIES FOR A MOTHER'S LICENSE

MRS. MARTHA BREWER OF AMBOY FIRST APPLICANT IN LEE COUNTY.

The first application for a 'mother's license' in the history of Lee county was made in the county court this afternoon when Mrs. Martha Brewer of Amboy asked for aid in caring for her grandchildren, Francis A. Rice, aged 11, and Merritt J. Rice, aged 9. Mrs. Brewer states in her petition that the children's mother died in 1911 and that their father is also dead. Mrs. Brewer is 72 years old and has no way to provide for the dependent children, who reside with in two blocks of a public school, to which she has sent them. The legislature in 1911 passed a bill providing for pensions in such cases, and Judge Scott now has the matter under consideration.

## SOUTH AMERICAN REVOLT MENACES

State Department at Washington Considerably Worried Over Coming Outburst.

## U. S. WARSHIPS PATROL COAST

Official Connect Outbreak at Nogete With General Conspiracy to Precipitate Trouble in Countries to the South of Mexico.

Washington, March 10.—Startling secret reports to the state and war departments, both from naval and diplomatic sources, indicate the approaching outburst of a state of revolution in Central America that will give the administration serious trouble. No one in either department now doubts that the new government will soon be compelled to demonstrate its ability to protect the lives and property of Americans in the troubled countries to the south of Mexico.

For several months officials of the departments of state, justice and of the treasury have been at work collecting information as to what is going on in Central America. The results of their investigations as transmitted to the new administration are highly disquieting.

### Outbreaks Are Expected.

Outbreaks are momentarily expected in all the Central American states except Costa Rica. The intimations in the reports alarmed the officials and kept them at work on the situation a considerable part of the morning and afternoon.

It has been learned that six weeks ago the department of justice made an inquiry of the treasury department and put it on notice of a serious movement, which was supposed to be towards Nicaragua from Mobile and New Orleans. Expeditionary forces of filibusters were suspected of activity in both of these ports. It was at first supposed that two vessels which were discovered were intended for Mexican waters. These vessels, however, the department of justice agents established, were not for Mexican ports, but were trying to get on board supplies of arms and ammunition for landing at Bluefields, Nicaragua.

### Caused Dispatch of Cruisers.

It was this knowledge communicated to the state department that caused Secretary Knox to issue orders for a whole squadron of warships to proceed to Central America and practically invest its most important ports.

The cruisers now on this service are:

The Des Moines, at Bluefields; the Annapolis at Amapala, Honduras; the Buffalo at Corinto, Nicaragua; the Nashville cruising off the Nicaragua coast, with base at Puerto Cortez, Honduras; the Tacoma, off Bluefields and the Denver watching the west coast of Central America.

### Train Wreck Not Explained.

It had been intended to withdraw the marines from Managua, but it was decided that they shall remain as the storm is expected to break in that republic. The state and navy officials clearly connect the outbreak which took place at Nogete with the general conspiracy to precipitate trouble throughout Central America. A Nicaraguan mob, according to the dispatches, entered the town of Nogete under the eyes of the United States marines, terrorized and plundered it and when the marines went in pursuit, so as to keep their own communication safe with the sea, at Corinto, their train collided with a fuel train under circumstances that have not yet been explained.

While not connecting former President Castro of Venezuela and former President Zelaya of Nicaragua with the proposed general revolution, it is well understood at the state department that the followers of these men are at the bottom of the conspiracy.

## BOUGHT CREAMERY ONE DAY; IT BURNED NEXT

The Gurler interests got into control of the Big Rock creamery at DeKalb just in time to get in bad. Saturday they secured possession of the institution. Sunday night the creamery was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$4000, with \$1500 insurance.

## PROGRESSIVES WILL MEET AT STERLING

Whiteside county progressives will hold their first annual banquet and love feast in Sterling on the evening of March 17. Medill McCormick of Chicago, leader of the Illinois progressives, will be the principal speaker. Arrangements are now being made to secure other speakers of national reputation.

## INTERESTING COUNCIL MEETING IS IN PROSPECT THIS EVENING

SUNDAY THEATRE BILL WILL BE BROUGHT UP—A CLOSE FIGHT.

This evening, providing all of the commissioners are present at the council meeting, which now seems probable, some action will be taken on Mayor Brinton's Sunday theatre ordinance, which has been the subject of discussion for the past six weeks, and which has been twice laid on the table. Commissioner W. A. Schuler, whose illness has prevented him attending the past two meetings, will be the officer who will decide the fate of the blue law, as Commissioners VanBibber and Gannon are known to be opposed to the law, while Commissioner Schmidt is backing Mayor Brinton in his efforts to have it passed. It is also likely that the I. N. U. will come in for some 'panning' at tonight's session of the council, as Commissioner Gannon has his ire aroused and is threatening dire things for the concern.

## LOUIS SAUMBY DIED AT TOLEDO

DIXON BOY SUCCEUMED TO TUBERCULOSIS SUNDAY—FUNERAL HERE.

Mrs. Edward Eisenberg of Grand Detour, received word of the death of her son, Louis Saumby, at a hospital in Toledo, O., yesterday, from tuberculosis, with which he was stricken while traveling. The remains will be brought to Dixon for burial and the funeral will probably be held Wednesday afternoon from the home of his sister, Mrs. Earl Rizer, 522 River street. The exact hour will be announced tomorrow.

Louis Saumby was born in Dixon Oct. 20, 1887, and spent nearly all of his life here, leaving about a year ago to travel with a theatrical company. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Edward Eisenberg; one sister, Mrs. Bernice Rizer of this city, and four brothers: Frank of St. Paul; Harry of Cleveland, and Will and George of this city. To them the condolence of many friends is extended.

## WOULD OUST SON FROM HER FARM

MRS. SARAH HOWLETT OF PAWPAW BRINGS SUIT IN THE DIXON COURT.

A suit for possession, in which Mrs. Sarah Howlett seeks to oust her son, Wilbur Howlett of Pawpaw, from her farm near that city, was taken up before a jury in the court of Justice A. H. Hanneken this afternoon.

The mother claims she did not agree to allow her son to remain a tenant on her farm after March 1, while the latter claims that there was an understanding between them that he should have the farm another year.

Attorneys Harry Edwards and John Crabtree are appearing for the defendant, while Attorneys W. H. Winn and Charles F. Preston represent the mother.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

|           | Max | Min. | Precip. |
|-----------|-----|------|---------|
| Tuesday   | 42  | 17   |         |
| Wednesday | 29  | 14   |         |
| Thursday  | 34  | 2    | .17     |
| Friday    | 29  | 12   |         |
| Saturday  | 29  | 13   |         |
| Sunday    | 51  | 28   |         |
| Monday    | 44  | 13   |         |

Forecast.  
Tuesday: Unsettled weather, with rain, moderate, variable winds. Sun rose today 6:11, set 5:52. Moonset, 8:44 p. m.

## FORMER AMBOY MAN HAS PASSED AWAY

JOHN T. BALCH, BROTHER OF MRS. LOUISA VAUGHAN, DIED SUNDAY.

Amboy, Mch. 10.—Special to Telegraph—Mrs. Louisa M. Vaughan yesterday received a telegram with the sad news of the death of her only brother, John T. Balch, at his home in Kansas City, Mo., after a short illness. Mr. Balch was 75 years of age and leaves his wife and sister as the only close relatives, his daughter Louise having died within the past year.

He was a well known railroad man and began work for the I. C. at Amboy 55 years ago. Later he was general baggage agent at the Union station in St. Louis for several years, being transferred to the same position at the Union station in Kansas City, where he remained until a few years ago, when he was retired and placed on the pension list.

Mr. Balch usually visited in Amboy every second year and he had many friends here who will be grieved to learn of his death. W. B. Vaughan has gone to Kansas City to attend the funeral, but Mrs. Vaughan, on account of advanced age, was unable to go. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home in Kansas City, and burial will be made beside his only daughter at a Kansas City cemetery. Mr. Balch was the only uncle of County Treasurer F. C. Vaughan.

## FALLING PLANK HURT WORKMAN

MICHAEL HANAHAN WAS INJURED AT GAS WORKS THIS MORNING.

Michael Hanahan, an employee of the I. N. U. company, was painfully hurt while at work at the gas works this morning when a heavy plank fell, striking him on the forehead. He was rendered unconscious by the blow and also received a big laceration in the scalp. A physician attended his injuries and it is not thought any serious results will follow.

## WILLIAM MALONEY DIED LAST NIGHT

RESPECTED RESIDENT IS SUMMONED—WAS BORN IN AMBOY.

William Maloney died at his home at 415 College avenue, at 11:15 last night after an illness of five months. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. at the house and at 10 at St. Patrick's Catholic church. The friends are asked to omit flowers. The remains will be taken overland to Amboy for burial in Rockford cemetery.

The deceased was born in Amboy in 1853 and was married to Miss Anna Lally, who survives him, in 1876. They moved to Dixon about 15 years ago and have since resided here. Mr. Maloney for over 20 years was a locomotive engineer, working for the I. C. and the C. B. & Q. In addition to the widow, a brother, Dan, of Waterloo, Iowa, survives. Friends extend their sincere condolence.

## ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF CRUELTY TO HORSE

WILLIAM GEDSON ARRAIGNED BEFORE HANNEKEN BY W. G. KENT.

Wm. Gedson (colored), a junk man, was arrested this morning on complaint of Humane Officer W. G. Kent, charging him with cruelty to his horse. The horse is dead and its death is said to be the result of cruelty. The case was called before Justice A. H. Hanneken this morning, and continued until next Monday morning.

## AWAKENS AUDIENCE TO THE AWFULNESS OF EVILS OF VICE

GIVES DETAILED PLANS FOR CHECKING WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC.

## IGNORANCE CAUSES MISERY

Horrifying Conditions Could be Easily Helped by Proposed Legislation—Talked to Women Today.

In a startling arraignment of social conditions which permit the traffic in women and girls, known as the 'white slave' traffic, and appealing to his auditors to back the American Vigilance association, of which he is field lecturer, in its efforts to secure legislation which will not only remedy this great social evil, but will secure happier marriages and fewer divorces, Dr. Horace Reed yesterday afternoon addressed a large audience at the Lutheran church.

Dr. Reed knows whereof he speaks and he handled the delicate subject in a most impressive manner, pleading all the time for the arousal of the people against conditions which are horrifying. He related occurrences in the underworld which, because of the legislative investigation of 'white slave' conditions now being conducted in Chicago, were of especial interest.

He explained that the American Vigilance association, which is carrying the work into every state, the union, was striving for legislation on these lines:

A law to require proper sex teaching in high schools, normal schools, colleges and universities.  
Amendment of the marriage and divorce laws to prevent improper marriages and to give fewer legal grounds for divorce.

That a law be enacted requiring proof that applicants for marriage licenses are free from vice diseases before the permit is granted, thereby preventing the spreading of these diseases to innocent wives and children.

A law preventing the propagation of degenerate, feeble-minded and idiotic persons.

Laws providing that men guilty of rape, seduction, incest in the white slave traffic and infecting their wives and children with venereal diseases shall be punished severely, according to the enormity of their crime.

All through his lecture the audience of fathers and mothers listened attentively, and many were aroused to the awfulness of a condition which has been shunned too much in the past, but which demands the concerted efforts and attention of all good citizens.

Dr. Reed addressed another meeting of women at the Methodist church this afternoon, where he discussed the subject, 'How Can Mothers Save Their Girls?'

## WHERE YOU CAN ENJOY YOURSELF THIS WEEK

- ◆ Tonight
- ◆ Princess theatre—Motion Pictures.
- ◆ Family Theatre—Motion Pictures.
- ◆ Teachers' Training Class—Y. M. C. A.
- ◆ Bowling, Between Picked Teams—Brunswick Alleys.
- ◆ Tuesday
- ◆ Lecture on the Holy Land, by E. T. Bailey—At Y. M. C. A.
- ◆ Aspires young people's societies of the city.
- ◆ Bowling, Hefley vs. Peters—Brunswick Alleys.
- ◆ Wednesday.
- ◆ Prayer Meeting—Churches.
- ◆ Thursday
- ◆ Dixon Opera House—Vaudeville and Motion Pictures.
- ◆ Friday.
- ◆ Basketball—1912 H. S. Team vs. 1913 H. S. Team, at South Side High School.
- ◆ Dance, auspices Colonial Club.
- ◆ New Armory Hall.
- ◆ Saturday
- ◆ Dance, Saturday Night Club—Rosbrook Hall.

## PETITION APPROVED.

The petition to probate the will of Mrs. Ida Elnora Ramsey was approved in the county court today. The estate is valued at about \$60,000.



## Social Happenings

### For Miss Sleasman

A number of young people from Gap Grove and Prairieville were entertained at the Milford Johnson home on West Third street in Sterling Saturday evening, in honor of Miss Loretta Sleasman of Ft. Scott, Kan., and Miss Esther Young of near Dixon. The ride to the Johnson home was made in a bob sled. Following were the guests: Misses Edith Rutt, Margaret Martin, Carrie Weschler and Dorothy Hurliman; Messrs. Wilbur Meyers, Guy Book, Harry Friedrichs, Elmer Book and Clarence Martin.

### Dixon Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson of Dixon, entertained at the home Mrs. William Pippert of Canada, Mrs. Geo. Sheldon of Rock Falls and Lester Wilson of Aurora last week.

### Week End Guests

Miss Esther Young of St. James, and Miss Loretta Sleasman of Fort Scott, Kas., were week end guests at the home of Miss Margaret Martin in Gap Grove.

### Return from Honeymoon

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Janssen returned recently from a honeymoon trip to Davenport and other cities. They will go at once to their home near Franklin Grove.

### Ideal Club Meeting

The members of the Ideal club enjoyed a meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. L. W. Newcomer. The program consisted of a vocal solo by Miss Carrie Smith. She also gave a paper on "A History of Mexico." Mrs. Robert Fulton gave a paper on "Americans in Mexico." Both papers were very much enjoyed by all present. There was food for thought in both of them. The hostess served dainty refreshments and a delightful social hour was enjoyed.

### Anniversaries

Friday's Sterling Gazette says in regard to the wedding which we noted last week. \* \* \* \* \* Yesterday was the 23rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Andreas, and to make the day a memorable one a number of friends and neighbors had been invited to spend the evening at the Andreas home. About thirty guests were present and the evening was spent in playing games. The home was beautifully decorated in pink and white carnations and presented a handsome sight. During a lull in the festivities Leon Andreas introduced to the surprised company his bride of a few hours, Mrs. Gladys Dougherty Andreas. Mr. and Mrs. Andreas were married yesterday in Dixon at parsonage to St. Paul's Lutheran church, Rev. Altman officiating. The news was kept from the parents of the groom until last night. The guests, on learning the happy announcement hastened to extend Mr. Andreas and his bride their very best wishes for a long life of happiness and prosperity together.

At midnight a dainty three course supper was served, the table looking very pretty with its large bouquet of pink and white carnations and ferns. Mrs. Leon Andreas was presented with a magnificent bouquet of white carnations and calla lilies from Mrs.

## Most Eye Troubles

are congenital—people were born with them. For these defects there is just ONE relief—properly adjusted glasses.

Nothing else can give even temporary relief.

When the eyeball is not perfectly formed—when it is too long or too short, the defects in refraction must be corrected by the proper lenses.

WE can diagnose any case of refractive error and determine the AMOUNT of that error.

Then we can have the proper lenses ground to correct the error. Can we be of service to you?

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE, Neurologist and Health Instructor, 223 Crawford Ave., Dixon. Phone 160 for Appointments.

J. S. Swartley. At a late hour the guests departed for their homes, wishing both Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Andreas and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Andreas happiness and prosperity.

### Choir Rehearsal.

The choir of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet for rehearsal at 7 tonight.

### At Luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodsell entertained a few friends at luncheon last evening.

### To Give Concert.

The choir of St. Paul's Lutheran church under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, will give a concert on Easter eve at the church.

### Have a return card printed on your envelopes. We can do it for you.

B. F. Shaw Pig. Co.

### Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brinton were guests at the Nachusa Sunday for dinner.

### With Cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roper entertained friends Saturday night, followed by cards.

### Guests Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Steele and family of North Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Plummer.

### Embroidery Club.

The Flagg Corners Embroidery will meet tomorrow evening with Miss Grace Jones at her home on Logan avenue.

### Elks to Elect Tonight.

The meeting of the Elks lodge B. P. O. E. this evening promises to be one of the most interesting and largely attended of the winter. The election of officers will occur and a social session, which has been arranged by the house committee, will follow.

### Hospital Board to Meet

The Hospital Board will hold a meeting tomorrow at 9:30.

### K. B. Aid Society

The K. B. Aid society will meet with Mrs. Joshua Reed of the Kingdom Wednesday. Ladies please come prepared to sew.

### Guests at Downing Home

Dr. and Mrs. Moss were guests at the Frank Downing home Sunday at dinner.

### Dinner Guests Sunday

Dr. and Mrs. Bokhof and Miss Steele entertained Harry A. White as dinner guest Sunday.

### To Meet with Mrs. Durkes

The committee on Home Gardening will meet at 3 Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Durkes.

### With Mrs. Altman

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. F. D. Altman

### Fortnightly Club

The Fortnightly club will meet at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Collins Dysart, at her home 319 Crawford avenue.

### Entertained Last Evening

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Noble entertained friends Sunday evening at luncheon.

### At Sunday Dinner

Gordon Utley entertained as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Noble, Utley and Dorothy Jane Noble

### Guests at Nachusa

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bacharach were guests at the Nachusa Sunday.

### Sunday Dinner Guests

Miss Maude Dale entertained as Sunday dinner guests Misses Gertrude Steimmetz and Eva Nally of Oregon.

### Surprised Saturday Night

A number of friends held a surprise party Saturday night on Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bartholomew of 914 Chestnut Ave. Those present were: Messrs. and Meslames John Seggerman, David Emmert, Dick Johnson, Robert Bartholomew, Charles Bartholomew, Ira Adams, and George Canton. The party was planned by the latter gentleman, and it was a social success, all enjoying themselves immensely. Cards and dancing were the amusements of the evening, and a delicious supper was served, which was much enjoyed by all present.

### To Entertain Tonight

A party of telephone girls numbering fifteen were entertained at the home of Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook Friday evening. Seldom Inn is noted for its hospitality and Friday evening the jolly crowd experienced a most enjoyable time. Refreshments were served and games enjoyed. Miss Agness McCarroll and Mrs. Royce Hess chaperoned the company.

### With Luncheon.

Mrs. Sam Watson entertained last evening with a luncheon.

### Gave Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Soper entertained at dinner Sunday.

### Hamilton Whist Club.

The Hamilton Whist club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Herbert Martin of North Dixon.

### Entertained.

Mrs. J. D. VanBibber entertained her sister, Mrs. Powell, husband and daughter of Polo, at dinner on Sunday.

### Dance at Dixon College.

The baseball team of Dixon college will give a dance in the College chapel Friday evening of this week, to which all are invited. The affair is for the benefit of the college team. The Marquette orchestra will furnish the music.

### Rehearse Wednesday Eve.

A rehearsal of the Elks Glee club has been called for 8 p. m. Wednesday. The officers desire that every member of the club attend.

### Will Elect Officers.

The Candlelighters will hold their annual election of officers on Friday afternoon at their meeting at the home of W. C. Durkes. The ladies are requested to bring their own work.

Lewis Floto and wife of the Kingdom, were here Saturday.

Miss Mary Heuhn has gone to Freeport for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Lew Edwards has recovered from an attack of the grip.

William Clark of Pennsylvania Corners was here Saturday.

## NO MORE SORE FEET

EZO FOR WEARY, ACHING FEET. BUNIONS AND CORNS IS GUARANTEED.

If your feet are tender, sore, burn and sting and keep you feeling miserable all the time, go today, lay down 25 cents—say I want a jar of EZO.

Then rub on EZO and rub out agony, distress will vanish like magic, and you'll have as good a pair of feet as anyone on earth. EZO is a refined ointment that is also splendid for chapped hands, chilblains, frost-bites, Rowland Bros. and druggists everywhere.



## AT FORTY

◆ THE EYES BEGIN TO NEED ◆  
◆ HELP for close work, and if ◆  
◆ this (in the form of properly ad- ◆  
◆ justed glasses) is not given, ◆  
◆ Eyestrain with all its attendant ◆  
◆ evils is set up.

## If You Are Forty

◆ call TODAY, and let me advise ◆  
◆ you whether or not glasses ◆  
◆ would be of benefit. My records ◆  
◆ show over 4000 people in Lee ◆  
◆ Ogle and Whiteside counties ◆  
◆ are wearing my glasses with ◆  
◆ perfect comfort and satisfac- ◆  
◆ tion. Why not you?

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## WEAK WHEAT—HOW TO HELP IT.

How has your winter wheat weathered the winter? Does it look strong and vigorous, or is it weak and thin?

For a large amount of the winter wheat planted last fall, the ground was well prepared; plump, vital seed was used, and for the young plant, in many instances, available plantfood was supplied.

However, some of the wheat was planted late. In some sections it has had very little covering of snow. The weather has been fairly favorable, but fields upon which water stood for any length of time and ice formed, are in bad condition. Some of the wheat was planted so late that it did not make sufficient growth before winter set in.

Now, this weak wheat can be helped by immediate action as soon as spring opens.

### The Crop Needs Moisture.

The farmer knows that the wheat plant requires heat, air, moisture and available plantfood in order to live and make satisfactory growth. The lack of any one of these essentials means death to the crop. As the warm sun of spring beats upon the hardened wheat fields, it causes the evaporation of hundreds of barrels of water per day from a 50-acre field, because the water connection between the surface soil and the water supply below is complete. Now, to stop this great evaporation, and to allow air to enter into the soil spaces, the farmer must act quickly if he is to save his crop.

### Tillage That Will Help.

He should roll his wheat field as soon as it will bear a team upon it, and follow this rolling immediately with a light harrowing. If he has a "weeder" he can accomplish a great deal of good by going over the wheat crop with this tool. If he has harrows with adjustable teeth, he should throw these teeth back at an angle of 15 degrees and harrow the field, going back and forward over the field parallel with the wheat rows. This harrowing will not stir the surface deep enough to injure the wheat roots, but will help the soil conditions greatly by preparing a surface mulch. This surface mulch will break up the water connection in the soil and effectively prevent an injurious amount of evaporation. Always follow rolling with a light harrowing.

### Plantfood That Will Give Strength.

The thin weak plant needs special nourishment. It should have an abundance of readily available plant food of the right kind to give it a vigorous start and maintain it in vigorous growth. Such a help can be supplied by broadcasting 100 to 300 pounds per acre of a fertilizer analyzing about 3 per cent. to 5 per cent. ammonia; 6 to 8 per cent. phosphoric acid, and 2 to 5 per cent. potash. This should be broadcasted or distributed on the wheat through the fertilizer attachment of the wheat drill.

If the wheat drill is used, of course the disks will be left suspended so that they will not cut the young wheat plant. This fertilizer should be put on the wheat just before it is rolled. The harrowing will work it into the soil.

Help for Grass and Clover Seeding.

If grass and clover seed is sown upon the wheat field in early spring, practice of this early cultivation will bury the seed sufficiently deep to insure good germination. The addition of available plantfood in the forms mentioned will greatly increase the chances of a successful "catch" of grass.

## HOW TO GET LARGER, BETTER CROPS.

1. Establish a system of cropping.
2. Drain the fields. The seed needs air to germinate. The tiny life in the soil—or soil bacteria—must have air.
3. Keep up the vegetable matter in the soil. This organic matter, or humus, keeps the soil dry, and acts like a sponge in holding water.
4. Plow deep in the fall. Winter frosts break down the rough soil, and make its plantfood available.
5. Prepare a good seedbed by careful cultivation and fertilization. Store up the barn manure and use it wisely in spring.
6. Seek out the best varieties, and best strains of varieties for seed. Plant them correctly at the right time and cultivate sufficiently.
7. Add a suitable fertilizer for the crop that is to be grown. A fertilizer supplies nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash. Nitrogen aids growth, potash gives stiffness to straw, phosphoric acid helps fill and ripens the grain or seed.

Hay crops require a large amount of nitrogen, a small amount of phosphoric acid and a medium amount of potash. Grain crops require a medium amount of nitrogen, a large amount of phosphoric acid and some potash. Root crops require a heavy supply of nitrogen and potash and a moderate amount of phosphoric acid.

For hay, 200 to 400 pounds per acre of a fertilizer analyzing about 4 per cent. nitrogen, 6 per cent. phosphoric acid, 2 per cent. potash.

For grain, 200 to 400 pounds per acre of a fertilizer analyzing about 2 per cent. nitrogen, 8 per cent. phosphoric acid, 2 per cent. potash.

For roots, 600 to 800 pounds per acre of a fertilizer analyzing about 4 per cent. nitrogen, 6 per cent. phosphoric acid, 8 per cent. potash.

To get the best results from fertilizers: (1) Drain the land; (2) prepare a good seed bed; (3) spread the fertilizer evenly; (4) use a liberal amount; (5) get a fertilizer suited to your crop.

## City In Brief

Leo Blass was in Amboy today.

A. Webb of Morris was here yesterday.

H. A. Lewis of Freeport was here Sunday.

Edna Zarger of Franklin was here Saturday.

R. R. Davis of Morrison was here yesterday.

Henry Thomas of Ashton was here Saturday.

Miss McCune of Harmon was here Saturday.

G. W. Beattie was here from Amboy Sunday.

Emory Tilton was here from Ashton Saturday.

J. B. Elcholtz of Nachusa was in town yesterday.

J. Ramsey of Franklin Grove was here Sunday.

Miss Lou Wilhelm of Nachusa was here Saturday.

Wayne Smith of Amboy was in our city Saturday.

J. T. McGrath of Polo was in Dixon yesterday.

A. L. Hooper of Rochelle was in Dixon Sunday.

The Misses Tuly of Harmon were here Saturday.

Bryant Mathias of Pine Creek was here Saturday.

Miss Grace Uhl of Nachusa was in Dixon Saturday.

Ed Slough of West Brooklyn spent Sunday in Dixon.

Henry Thomas of Ashton was here today on business.

R. F. Weidman of Nachusa was in Dixon Saturday.

Harry Myers and wife of Polo visited here Saturday.

Edw. M. Johnson of West Brooklyn was here Saturday.

Clinton Bennett of Reedsburg, Wis., was here Saturday.

## MORTON IS MUCH BETTER

Former Vice-President Passes Good Night, but Conditions Still Grave.

New York, March 10.—Levi P. Morton, former vice-president, passed a comfortable night and is decidedly better. His condition, despite the improvement, however, still is grave.

### Secretary Bryan in High Hat.

Washington, March 10.—Secretary of State Bryan attended the First Presbyterian church. He wore a high hat. It was a very stunning and shiny affair and the Nebraskan wore it with evident embarrassment.

### Famous Hotel Closed.

New Haven, Conn., March 10.—The Tonkine hotel, for years the headquarters for Yale class reunions, was closed after an existence of nearly a century. It will be demolished to make way for the new postoffice.

### Form \$60,000,000 Sugar Co.

New Orleans, March 6.—A \$60,000,000 company will be formed in Louisiana to fight the sugar trust, to reduce cost and increase profits for the planters and manufacturers. Plans for the corporation, to be known as the Louisiana Sugar Cane company, were perfected here.

### "Wets" Win a Town.

Mitchell, Ind., March 6.—The "wet" won here by 129. Only two-fifths of the votes were polled. The city had already remonstrated against saloons by 97.

### Amenities.

"I've just been introduced to Professor Smythe; such a charming man to talk to! He doesn't make one feel a fool, in spite of his cleverness." "Ah, my dear, but that's because of his cleverness."—Punch.

### Owned Up.

"You know I refused you half a dozen times before we were married," said Mr. Meekton's wife. "Yes," replied her husband. "I suspect that's what has kept me from ever wanting my own way again."

## Too Late To Classify

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WANTED. Boy for general delivery. W. H. Flemming, Grocery-Market, Depot Ave. 53 3

MEN AND WOMEN. Sell guaranteed hose. 70 per cent profit. Make \$10 daily. Full or part time. Beginners investigate. WEAR PROOF, 3038 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa. 58 16

\$,080 ACRE STOCK RANCH for half its value for quick sale. For information address owner, A. J. Johnston, Merchants' National Bank Bldg., Springfield, Mo. 58 6\*

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## To the Sick and Afflicted

Dr. R. S. Piper has practiced medicine in the state of Illinois for 12 years. He is a graduate from one of the oldest medical colleges in the United States. He is licensed by examination by the Illinois State Board of Health.

He is not a nature fakir making people believe that all diseases have their origin in the spine, nor is he a magnetic healer who claims to cure by the laying on of hands, both of which are fraudulent quacks.

Dr. R. S. Piper has not practiced medicine for a quarter of a century or more (like many so-called specialists) thus becoming antiquated and using methods which are necessarily obsolete, but he is a scientific man with the necessary education (not from two months' nor two years' course from some extinct college) and ripe experience to give you the best medical treatment of modern times, by aid of his deep acting blood remedies.

If you want to be convinced, come and talk to a real specialist. It will cost you nothing to have an honest opinion.

## What Dr. R. S. Piper Does

He treats all chronic diseases of MAN or WOMAN that are curable, no matter how long standing. He fits GLASSES to the EYES accurately by an entirely new method known only to himself; he does not blind you for a week by putting drops in your eye. He invites the most difficult cases to call on him and try his new method FREE OF CHARGE. He also removes WARTS and MOLES from any part of the body by a wonderful and painless method that leaves no scar.

Dr. R. S. Piper's superior method of treating Chronic diseases in MEN and WOMEN is such that all pain and suffering is speedily banished in the shortest possible time, never to return again. His deep acting medicines work thoroughly and in a lasting manner. If there is no structural change there is a cure for you.

**DIFFICULT CASES** By his methods many of the so called incurable and baffling cases are CURED in a short time. It makes no difference how many have failed to cure you or how long you have suffered, come and consult the MASTER SPECIALIST. Curing desperate Chronic cases in MEN and WOMEN is his life long specialty. Dr. R. S. Piper wants it here understood that he does not treat advanced cases of Cancer, Consumption, Epilepsy, Asthma and Hay Fever, however, many cases if seen early enough can be cured. Let the experience of those who have been cured be your guiding star. Come and read some of the testimonials from those that he has cured. A WRITTEN FACT IS AS GOOD AS A GOLD BOND to one that is now suffering and doesn't know what to do for help.

**DANGER** Dr. R. S. Piper's treatment is absolutely safe and free from all bad effects upon your system. He does not give you drugs manufactured by unreliable chemical houses, but he does use the best in the market as prepared by the world's best chemists. When you place your case in his hands you do it with absolute safety. His drugs are the purest that money can buy, therefore he gets the best results.

## Are You Suffering From

Bloating—Belching of gas or food from your stomach—Pain or distress in your stomach—Constipation or loose bowels—Warts or Moles—Bed wetting—Creepy or numb sensations in the limbs—The effects from an old illness—Despondency—Melancholia—Loss of vital energy—Loss of ambition—Wasting diseases—Varicose veins—Deep seated blood diseases—Early abuses that have been neglected—Headaches—Shooting pains in the head, neck, back and limbs—Dizziness—Rheumatism—Autointoxication—Infections of a private nature—Drains and losses—Nervous Prostration—Piles—Sleeplessness—Neuralgia—Poor Circulation—Palpitation of the heart—Shortness of Breath—Lame back—Spots floating before your eyes—Dyspepsia—Biliousness—Kidney and bladder trouble—Catarrh of any part of the body—Fainting spells—Bronchitis—Eczema—Psoriasis—Diseased eyes—Reduced vision for want of proper glasses—Female diseases or any evidence of breaking down either in MAN or WOMAN? If so consult the MASTER SPECIALIST, DR. R. S. PIPER. No matter how helpless you feel, or how many doctors have treated you, if there is a cure for you he will tell you so. If you wish to consult a REAL CHICAGO SPECIALIST IN YOUR HOME TOWN, don't waste any time, but come at the above place and the stated time.

Chicago Address: 3454 Indiana Ave.



## DEMENTTOWN ... DOINGS

A little bird whispers that the light question will be the subject of some discussion at the council this evening.

Which probably will prove of interest to a lot of people who say their bills have increased beyond all reason.

There may be somewhere in Dixon a man who never experienced a desire to play in the band or raise chickens, but it's a safe bet that there isn't one who has never thought he'd like to make a vegetable garden out of his back yard.

And right here is a good place to remind those who keep chickens that their neighbors have rights, and that chickens should not be permitted to roam over aforesaid gardens or even the grounds of neighbors. Sometimes chickens that trespass make excellent eating for the neighbors' table and the neighbor is within the law, at that. Therefore keep your chickens at home.

**Goose Hollow Letter**  
Hank Tumms says he ain't goin' to drink any more. Well, by ginger, he couldn't.

Uncle Buschrod Peeler, who is here from Sterling, doin' chores for his grandfather while the latter is laid up with the croup, says none of his family ever died under 117. Two of his ancestors were never buried, but simply disappeared. Buschrod allows as how they probably just dried up and blew away.

Anse Frisby, our banker and philanthropist, who has just been down to the city, says a feller can't git much of a meal in a 15-cent restaurant as he could some years ago. The time seems to be comin' when Anse will have to pay a quarter.

Hod Peters, when he kin have 28 or 30 buckwheat pancakes for breakfast, and a pound of sausages or two, he kin gen'ally worry along until noon with what cheese and crackers and fried herrin' he kin pick up down to the grocery store while the grocery man is tendin' to business.

We have just received a new line of samples of foreign and domestic

## Woolens

The best ever shown in Dixon  
Prices Very Reasonable  
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Marshall's Best Flour, the flower of flours will make more bread to the sack than any other. It don't pay to buy cheap flour when you can get Marshall's Best for

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### Speaking of the Divorce Evil

Trying to succeed in business without advertising is like the case of the man who, trying to outspense, divorced his wife and alone attempted to keep house and raise his children. It cost him more money for doctor bills and funeral expenses in a year than he gave his wife in a lifetime.

**When advertising is divorced, business success becomes failure.**

This paper is building your neighbor's business. He has reasons. He tried advertising and it helped him. It is not an experiment—this paper brings results. Good, hard, convincing results—dollars.

## Farm Interests

Edited by HENRY G. BELL  
Agronomist Middle West Soil Improvement Committee—  
Chicago—of the National Fertilizer Association

Formerly Professor of Agronomy and Manager of Farms, University of Maine  
Asst. Professor of Farm Crops, Iowa State College of Agriculture, Ames

"Experience Has Shown That the Right Use of Fertilizers, Barn Manure, Proper Tillage, Good Seed and Crop Rotations, Insure Farm Prosperity."

### HOW TO ASSIST THE MEADOW.

- Hay yield depends on:
- (1) Drainage of soil.
  - (2) Organic matter in soil.
  - (3) Mixture of grass and clover growing.
  - (4) Freedom from weeds.
  - (5) Fertility in soil.

Meadow mixtures:  
I.—10 pounds common red clover, 5 pounds alsike, 7 pounds timothy, 22 pounds mixture per acre.  
II.—8 pounds common red clover, 4 pounds alsike, 6 pounds timothy, 2 pounds tall oat grass, 2 pounds meadow fescue, 22 pounds mixture per acre.

III.—20 pounds alfalfa seed per acre.

### Methods of Improvement:

I.—Drain: (a) open all surface drains; (b) see that tile drains are working; (c) open sufficient new drains by ditcher, plow, spade or dynamite.

II.—Increase organic matter in soil: (a) by plowing in second crop, and by applying liberal amounts of barn manure.

III.—Control the growth of weeds: (a) bring land into cultivation once in four, five or six years; (b) by cutting and burning perennial weeds at flowering time, before seed has set; (c) by spraying with iron sulphate such plants as dandelion, thistle, broad leaved plantain, burdock, mustard, etc., using a 20-cent solution, while the plants are young.

IV.—Increase the fertility: (a) by bringing land into tillage once in three, four, five or six years. Considerable fertility applied to the crops grown on this land will remain for the hay crop; (b) apply a suitable fertilizer as soon as the grass has started growth. Such a fertilizer is 200 to 300 pounds of a fertilizer carrying about 4 per cent. nitrogen, 6 per cent. phosphoric acid and 2 per cent. potash. Since the grass and clover are cut before the flowers set seed, the nitrogen of the fertilizer should be fairly rapidly available, giving the grass sturdy, rapid growth; the phosphoric acid is not called upon to any great extent, since no seed is harvested; but the potash is useful for the growing plant.

### THE IMPORTANCE OF MATURITY.

"She's the first calf; guess we'll not raise her." Who has not heard a dairyman say this! Now, why this aversion to the "first calf"? It is because the young mother was not sufficiently mature to transmit a strong, vigorous constitution to her offspring. Horsemen know that they get the healthiest and most vigorous colts from full grown, well matured mares.

Now, this question of maturity is just as important to plant life as it is to animal. The strongest and most vigorous corn plant comes from the kernel of corn that was fully filled and ripened when the ear was picked. Wheat, oats and other grains of best vitality always come from the grain that has been fully matured when out.

Ontario Agricultural Experiment Station has been conducting experiments relative to date of cutting or maturity of winter wheat for several years, and reports that seed from well matured grain produce a greater yield of both grain and straw, and a heavier weight per bushel of grain than seed from immature grain.

The seed is the tiny infant plant with its first food wrapped about it. If that first food is short in quantity, the plant must of necessity suffer.

The dangers of immaturity are many. Immature corn causes serious trouble when harvested and shipped. If frost strikes immature grain of any kind, it seriously destroys the life of the grain.

Now, how is the farmer to guard against this immaturity? First by growing a variety of corn and other crops that will mature within the growing season at his disposal. There is no sense in bringing southern corn up to the northern part of the corn belt and expect it to mature. Of course, the southern counties can grow longer, larger ears of corn than the northern counties. They have 200 to 250 days of a growing season, while many northern counties have little more than 150 growing days free of frost.

Second, see that the element of plant food that effects the maturity of the corn is in sufficient abundance in the soil. You can't get good horse spirit out of corn, or wheat, or rye. The horse must have oats. They contain the vital essential element of "ginger." Just so does phosphoric acid for the corn, wheat, oats, etc.

As sure as night follows day, there were thousands of bushels of immature corn in the corn belt last winter for no other reason than that the available phosphoric acid of the soil was insufficient to the needs of the plant.

The balance of plant food must be kept up if high yielding crops of superior quality are to be produced.

## TEST PHTHISIS CURE

Dr. Friedmann Gives U. S. Expert Supply of Serum.

Seven Patients Given Injections at Hospital Clinic—Thirty Physicians Are Present.

New York, March 10.—Though the County Medical society and various local hospitals of national repute have been inclined to scoff at Dr. Frederick Franz Friedmann, the United States government has taken the situation in its own hands and offered him a fair opportunity to prove the efficacy of his new tuberculosis serum.

A thorough test of the serum has been started at the Mount Sinai hospital, under the supervision of Dr. John F. Anderson, director of the hygienic laboratory of public health and marine hospital service, and Dr. A. M. Stimson, surgeon in the service. He even gave them a plentiful supply of serum, to be used by the government experts, thus letting the precious fluid out of his own hands for the first time since he entered the country.

Seven patients, with such well developed cases that they were confined to their beds, were given injections of the serum by Doctor Friedmann. Three of these were women and four men. The cases were of widely variant forms; three were pulmonary tuberculosis in different stages; one tuberculosis of the knee; one, tuberculosis of the rib; one, tuberculosis of the elbow; one, tuberculosis of the urinary tract. In every case the patients were eager to "try" the "cure."

At the close of the clinic the government officials were greatly pleased with the manner in which the treatments were made by Doctor Friedmann, and the care that he took.

Fully thirty, among them a dozen of well known physicians, were present and gave Doctor Friedmann credit for the skill with which he worked and his apparent earnestness and sincerity.

## GERMAN JUBILEE ON

Teutons Open National Celebration With Army Reunion.

Centennial of Prussia's War for Liberation Against Napoleon Starts Today in Berlin.

Berlin, March 10.—Germany's jubilee, in celebration of the centennial of Prussia's war for liberation against Napoleon, began here today with the most splendid army review and maneuvers ever seen in this country.

The assembling of the troops in Prussia will be followed by months of intermittent celebration culminating in a grand jubilee during the whole month of June in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the kaiser's accession to the throne. During this time millions of dollars will be spent in fetes, military maneuvers, street festivals, balls and street decorations throughout the empire. A large portion of the Berlin celebration will take place in the new stadium erected at a cost of \$1,500,000 for the Olympic games in 1916.

The central figures in today's celebration were the kaiser, his consort and the royal family. Services were held in the cathedral which were attended by the entire royal family, the military and naval officers and the German court. After the military review another celebration was held at the statue of Frederick William, III. in front of the royal castle.

## ROB MRS. BURNETT'S HOME

Neighbors of Author's Scare Thieves Away—Valuable Rugs Taken.

New York, March 10.—A few minutes more and burglars would have carried off \$40,000 worth of loot from Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett's fine summer home at Manhasset, L. I. As it was neighbors of Mrs. Burnett detected the robbers who, while bullets whistled around them, escaped with eight Turkish rugs worth \$1,500; two Chippendale chairs, a small antique mirror and a landscape in oil. The house had been closed for some weeks, Mrs. Burnett having gone to Bermuda.

## OLNEY FOR BRITISH POST

Cleveland Aid President Wilson's Choice for Ambassadorship.

Washington, March 10.—Richard Olney of Massachusetts, attorney general and later secretary of state under the second Cleveland administration, is regarded here as President Wilson's choice for ambassador to Great Britain. It was stated at the White House that the president still is open-minded with respect to practically all the important diplomatic posts.

Babe Scalded in Bath Dies.  
East St. Louis, Ill., March 10.—Ralph Friesz, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Friesz of 711 Trendley avenue, died as the result of being scalded in the bath tub of his home.

Farmer's Wife Mother of 18.  
Stillwater, Okla., March 10.—A son born to Mrs. George Mitchell here was her eighteenth child. Sixteen of the children are living. Mr. Mitchell is a farmer near Stillwater.

## Don't Suffer With Chronic Disease Let Me Cure You

I AM AT THE NACHUSA HOUSE AND WILL REMAIN UNTIL WEDNESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 12.



My New Neuropathic System of Treating Disease is making the most wonderful cures of Chronic Rheumatism, Uric Acid Conditions, Kidney and Bladder Diseases, Heart Diseases, Valvular Trouble, Palpitation, Shortness of Breath, Stomach Trouble, Constipation, Blood and Nervous Diseases, Catarrh, Deafness, Eye Troubles and every Chronic Disease or Weakness.

I will give examination and my services FREE this trip to all sufferers, to demonstrate my new treatment which is making such remarkable cures after all else has failed.

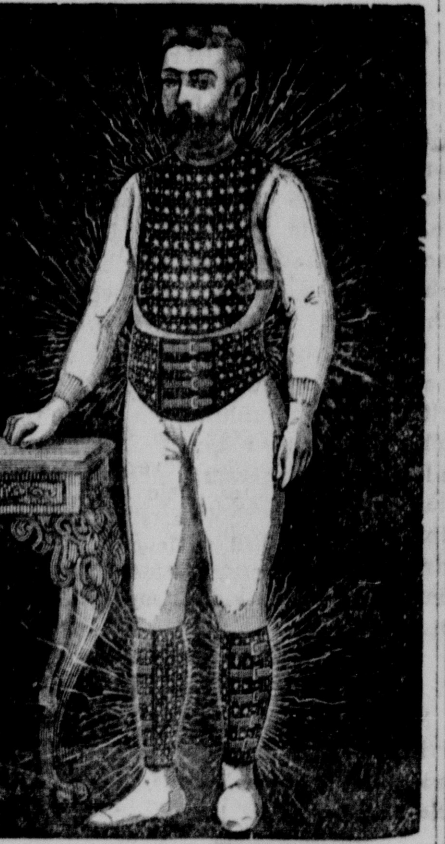
I will remain at the Nachusa house until Wednesday night, March 12.

Call at my rooms between 9 and 12, 1 and 5, and 7 to 8.

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Cure rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, foot, chil-blains, cramps, aches, pains and tired feelings. Cost \$1 a pair by mail. Magnetic Belts cure rheumatism, kidney complaint, lung trouble, paralysis, constipation, dyspepsia. Get yourself to stay well. Twenty years success the proof. Not electric, no rings. Fits all parts of the body. Lasts twenty-five years. PROF. CHAS. BIDWELL.

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This Outfit is Enough to Cure Most Any Ordinary Disease.

### THIS MAGNETIC BELT.

Is the best support ever made. It is simple, easy, good for three to five years. It fits any person, with any shape. It reduces big, flabby abdomens 3 to 8 inches. No dieting, no medicine. It is sure relief and cure for backache. If your kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels are wrong this will right them. If you have constipation this will not fail. If you feel tired and old this will rejuvenate. If you have rheumatism, stop drugging, this never fails to cure it. If you have general debility this will make you well again.

I can convince any reasonable person of this, if they will give me the opportunity.

If you believe these facts come to the hotel and get relief. If you don't believe them, suffer on and let them alone. It will pay you to telephone No. 185, to Prof. Bidwell. He will call on you. Consultation free at hotel, your residence or office.

PROF. CHAS. BIDWELL

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# Modern Means Of the Present

It has always been the weakness of numerous Grandpapas to refer to the good old times. Some of them remember when the best available method of indoor lighting in parts of these woods was represented by a gourd full of grease with a wick floating in it.

Alice in Wonderland did not hear the Gump say to the Whadjumacallit: "Do you want to go back to the gourd?" But then he might have said it; he certainly would have said it if modern lighting had been the topic of conversation.

## Would You Say It?

The average man would. If he did not his wife would sure, especially if she had been over her neighbor's house equipped with Electric Light. Look at it. It's the modern Light. Just push a button and it blazes out--the purest in quality the most healthful and adaptable and the most economical of all artificial lights, if you use it properly.

The number of houses in town is the number we want to connect on. If yours isn't wired, we'll equip it for electric light and power and spread the bill over 24 months.

## Illinois Northern Utilities Company

## Ladies and Gentleman

Two things are needed to complete a sale. First, material and second a customer. I have the first if you are the second. Come in and let us get together. My well tailored suits suit them all. This will include you if you buy.

## DAVID KAHN & CO.

Tel 325. 78 Galena Ave. Cor. River St. Dixon, Ill.

### SEE THE

New Line of Elgin Shirts New Caps for Spring

Large line of spring samples. Suits made to measure \$20 and down and \$20 and up. Call and look at

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Opera Block  
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about what you're selling, but take a tip, brother, you'll break car drums, not pocket books.

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If you're not in the ad. van, isn't it time you took a flyer?

You have our word—you'll never regret it



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MARCH 10 1913

BRITISH SHIP ASHORE

Vessel's 118 Passengers Are  
Saved by Tug Rescue.

Shock of Ship Grounding Caused  
Terror Among Those Aboard and  
Panic Was Narrowly Averted.

Key West, Fla., March 10.—Sum-  
moned by rockets the tug Rescue re-  
scued the British steamer Lugano's 118  
passengers in a choppy sea after the  
steamer, bound from Liverpool for Ha-  
vana, had gone ashore on Ajax Reef, Fla.

The Rescue reached Key West with  
the transferred passengers and report-  
ed that the Lugano had been left in a  
leaky condition with 15 feet of water  
in her hold. The Lugano's crew is  
standing by the ship with the cutter  
Miami, summoned by the Rescue's  
wireless, keeping close by.

The Lugano grounded at 2 a. m.  
while running at full speed and the  
shock brought the 118 passengers  
rushing to the decks, where Captain  
Tennill and his men had difficulty in  
controlling them.

The supply of fresh water on board  
had given out and the ship was leak-  
ing badly and as a result the two  
hours that elapsed before the rocket  
signals were answered was a period of  
terror and near panic.

The passengers, all steerage with  
the exception of two from the cabin,  
were taken off in small boats in two  
hours.

Nearly all the rescued are quartered  
in the Mallory line warehouse at Key  
West.

"GHOST" TERRIFIES MINERS

Alleged Apparition Causes 300 Met to  
Flee From the Mine.

Kittanning, Pa., March 10.—Scoffs  
and jeers have failed to shake the be-  
lief of 300 miners employed in the  
Chickasaw mine, near here, that it  
was a genuine wraith that went from  
room to room in the workings and, in a  
sepulchral voice, commanded them to  
drop their tools and go. Terrified  
workmen poured in droves from the

JOHN BARRETT



John Barrett, director general of the  
Pan-American Union, is one official in  
Washington whose position is safe  
despite the change of administration.  
His tenure of office is dictated by the  
votes of the representatives of the  
twenty-one republics comprising the  
United States having no  
greater voice than the smallest of the  
countries.

mine entrance.  
According to the men, the upper  
half of the ghostly body was like that  
of an emaciated man, while the lower  
half resembled the hind quarters of a  
horse. In one hand it carried what ap-  
parently was a dinner pail, from which  
streamed lurid gleams of light.

CONWAYS FOUND GUILTY

Clown Is Given a Life Term; Wife  
Gets Fourteen Years.

Chicago, March 10.—"The two Con-  
ways," as the slayers of Sophia Slinger  
enjoy calling themselves, put on the  
most serious act of their theatrical car-  
reer when they learned that they must  
pay the penalty for their crime.  
The jury that heard their written  
confessions and their halting denials  
of them returned a verdict of guilty  
against both defendants in Judge Ker-  
sten's court. Charles Cramer, alias  
Conway, was given a life sentence in  
the penitentiary. His wife, Beatrice  
Ryall Conway, was given 14 years in  
the penitentiary for her part in the  
crime.

AN ECHO FROM THE  
PAST; EARLY DAYS  
NOTES REPUBLISHED

ITEMS FROM FILES OF THE TEL-  
EGRAPH FIFTY-SEVEN  
YEARS AGO.

(From issue of March 8, 1856—  
57 years ago).

The Dixon Telegraph, published  
every Saturday in Exchange Block,  
Galena St., by B. F. Shaw.

County officers: Judge, Hon. Da-  
vid Welty; Clerk, Thos. W. Eustace;  
Clerk of Circuit Court, Isaac S. Board-  
man; School Commissioner, S.  
Wright; County Treasurer, Elias B.  
Stiles; Sheriff, Wm. Butler; Coroner,  
D. B. McKenney; County Surveyor,  
A. W. Tinkham.

**Wolves in Whiteside.**  
A citizen of Whiteside county re-  
turning to his home from Sterling a  
few evenings since, was fiercely at-  
tacked by two prairie wolves, and  
seizing a fence stake, he was com-  
pelled to keep up a desperate run-  
ning fight with them until he reach-  
ed home.

**Charles Dickens' Works.**  
Of the many magazines that may  
be found at the Dixon book store,  
none will be more generally read  
than 'Household Words,' a work ed-  
ited by Charles Dickens.

**Dixon Musical Association.**  
By a notice handed us too late for  
publication this week, we learn that  
our citizens have organized the  
above association, which meets on  
next Tuesday evening.

The Rockford Register states that  
the Second Congregational society  
of that city intends to put up a  
church edifice the coming season at  
a cost of from \$25,000 to \$30,000.

**Dixon Market in '56.**  
(Corrected Weekly by A. T. Murphy  
& Co.)

|                           |        |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Dixon, Mich. 1, 1856.     |        |
| Flour, per bbl. ....      | \$8.00 |
| Flour, per 100 ..... 4.00 |        |
| Wheat, winter ..... 1.10  |        |
| Wheat, spring ..... .95   |        |
| Corn on ear ..... .25     |        |
| Coal, bu. .... .25 @ 30   |        |
| Barley ..... .80 @ 1.00   |        |
| Butter ..... .20 @ 23     |        |
| Oats ..... .35            |        |
| Corn, shelled ..... .25   |        |
| Eggs ..... .16            |        |

(From issue of Mich. 15, 1856)  
Statement of the financial affairs  
of the city of Dixon for the year en-  
ding March 8, A. D. 1856:

**Receipts.**  
From licenses from shows. \$232.50  
From poll tax ..... 487.00  
Of the year 1854 ..... 1341.53

Total ..... \$2061.03

**Expenditures.**  
The corporation during the year  
has built over two miles of sidewalk  
in addition to street crossings.

There is now on hand, unused, be-  
longing to the town, upwards of six  
thousand feet of planking for side-  
walks.

There is due the town, from indi-  
viduals for sidewalks built, the sum  
of \$459.23.

The board also acknowledges re-  
ceipt of \$38.10 as the proceeds of a  
concert given by the Nameless Min-  
strels, in aid of the purchase of a  
fire engine.

Total expenditures \$2860.73.

**Business Note.**  
Sanborn & Taylor have purchased  
the boot and shoe establishment of  
J. W. Smalley, situated on First St.,  
below P. McKenney's livery stable.  
Messrs. S. & T. are worthy of patron-  
age and are old and experienced  
hands in the boot and shoe business.

The following are the officers of  
the Dixon Musical association:  
W. W. Harsha, president.  
A. W. Sanborn, vice president.  
J. G. Brooks, Sec.  
G. W. Palmer, treas.  
J. T. Little, conductor.  
E. C. Smith and L. Warner, commit-  
tee on examination.

**New Potatoes:** We have received  
from N. I. Brown of Franklin Grove,  
some new potatoes, which he found  
among those of last year's growth.  
There were no sprouts, but it seems  
that the ones before us had grown  
out of those that were decayed with-  
out the usual process of sprouting.

**Lumber Sales.**  
During the year 1855, as we learn  
by the Transcript, the lumber trade  
of Dixon amounted to 3,274,200  
feet.

**City Council.**  
Dixon, Mich. 8, 1856.

Board met by special call of the  
president.  
President, John H. Cropsey,  
John V. Eustace,  
F. R. Dana,  
A. L. Porter,  
A. C. Stedman.

The following bills were passed:  
James Watson, for services  
as street inspector during

the year ending March,  
1856 ..... \$468.00  
Smith & Chipman, for lum-  
ber ..... 158.93  
W. Lewis & Co. .... 84.72  
G. W. Eggleston, for hauling  
plank ..... 4.00  
John Tears, for laying side-  
walk ..... 59.50  
J. M. Johnson, for spikes... 55.68  
J. C. Mead, for services as  
clerk ..... 50.00  
L. W. Atherton, for services  
as attorney ..... 50.00  
F. A. Soule, or services as  
treasurer ..... 36.00  
Adjourned sine die.

JAS. C. MEAD,  
Clerk.

Mathias Fitch has opened a Ger-  
man refreshment room on Main St.,  
in the building formerly occupied by  
Mr. Levi, where he will be glad to  
see old friends and new ones.

Monte Thompson, for a long time  
clerk in O. B. Dodge's dry goods  
store, has started out in a new enter-  
prise, having taken the agency for  
the Home sewing machine in Lee  
county.

Almost all the maidens of Oregon  
are bowed down with the mumps.

There is some talk of the appoint-  
ment of a national executioner, to be  
selected by competitive examination.

The Harmon Debating society will  
settle the question as to the Darwinian  
theory at the next debate.

**Council Election.**

City Council: At the election last  
Monday for city council the follow-  
ing gentlemen were elected: John H.  
Cropsey, Wm. Butler, N. W. Abbott,  
H. Morgan and H. T. Noble. They  
are all energetic business men and  
will therefore make an excellen coun-  
cil.

**Dr. Everett Wins.**

Lucky: Dr. O. Everett of Dixon  
has drawn a beautiful painting, as  
we learn from J. C. Mead, actuary  
in this city, on ticket number 13,156  
of the Cosmopolitan Art Association.  
The painting is a view of the Speed-  
well river near Morristown. We have  
the gratification of knowing that we  
came within one number of drawing  
the same prize.

NEW THROUGH TRAIN ON  
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN

The C. & N. W. announces that be-  
ginning April 1 there will be put on  
an extra fare Overland train which  
will be operated for sleeping car pas-  
sengers exclusively. The train will  
leave Chicago each day at 7 a. m.  
and arrive in California the third  
morning. The schedule will clip off a  
whole day's running time between  
Chicago and the coast.

Features of this all-steel train will  
include vapor heat, vacuum cleaner,  
with sanitary bubbling fountain, tel-  
ephone, stenographer, barber, bath,  
valet, clothes pressing service, ladies  
maid, hairdressing and manicuring,  
library, buffet club car, observation  
car, and important daily events and  
market reports flashed by bulletins  
en route.

CONDITION SERIOUS.

Nelson Heatherington, who was  
stricken with apoplexy recently, is  
reported to be no better. The old  
soldier's condition is serious.

WERE HERE FOR FUNERAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Coffey have  
returned to their home in Dubuque.  
They came to Dixon to attend the fu-  
neral of George Hanna, Mrs. Coffey's  
father.

COMPANY G DRILL.

The regular meeting and drill of  
Company G will be held at the Ar-  
mory this evening.

PRIVATE TEXT BOOK FOR WOMEN

Which will aid you to make sure  
of the exact nature of any female  
complaint with which you may be af-  
flicted, is offered free of cost to any  
woman who will write for it to the  
Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. of  
Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be treat-  
ed as strictly private, and the book  
mailed in a plain wrapper. Every  
ailing woman should send for this  
book today.

SOME NEWS ITEMS

**FROM LEE CENTER**  
Lee Center, Mich. 10.—Special—  
Miss Ruby Leavens of Lee Center en-  
tertained the Methodist Sunday  
school class of Amboy Tuesday even-  
ing with an oyster stew.

Miss Ruby Leavens was entertain-  
ed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tut-  
tle in Amboy Friday.

Will Wilson is vacating his house.

HERE FROM COLORADO.

Elmer Lahman of Greeley, Colo.,  
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Try-  
on Rosbrook and will leave this ev-  
ening for Madison, Wis., to transact  
business and on his return will make  
an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs.  
Rosbrook.

EMBROIDERED DRESS FLOUNCINGS

Swiss Voile and Lace, suitable for  
Confirmation Dresses, handsome  
line to select from at exceptionally  
low prices 59c, 89c, \$1 to \$3 Yd.

SPECIAL

Handsome Pattern Embroidery Voile, Enough for a Dress

\$1.98

Our new and attractive Ready-to-wear Department is now  
completed and we invite your inspection of a most  
complete and splendid line of Ladies' Misses'  
and Children's Spring Garments.

A. L. GEISENHEIMER & CO.

BRICKLAYER PLUNGED  
HEAD FIRST OFF ROCK

Rock Island, March 6.—Edward  
Butler, Rock Island bricklayer, is in  
St. Anthony's hospital, hovering be-  
tween life and death as the result of  
a fall of twenty-two feet from  
the roof of the Kinney residence at  
Twenty-first avenue and Twenty-  
fourth street, South Rock Island.

Butler was engaged in repairing a  
chimney when he lost his footing on  
the slippery roof and fell head fore-  
most, alighting on a pile of rocks.  
He was terribly cut, and bruised  
about the head and it is feared that  
he was internally injured.

W. T. Greig has returned from Chi-  
cago.

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Everything Electrical

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Clothes For  
Spring

Don't look like a Ready-Made-Man. Have your  
cloths made to order to fit your characteristics. You can  
buy a two piece suit from : : : :

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We will continue to do High-class  
Tailoring on the premises as here-  
to-fore.

CUMMINS, THE  
TAILOR  
94 Galena Ave.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Dixon Shining Parlors

For Ladies and Gentlemen.—We have just installed  
a NEW ELECTRIC AND STEAM HAT CLEANING  
OUTFIT. We clean Hats while you wait  
Give us a Trial

Dixon Shining Parlors

Opera House Block

Phone 1000

\$ Aim the \$  
Ad. Gun  
TRUE

It's hot weather, ad-  
vertise cool things. Mr.  
Merchant. When it's  
cold, boost warmth.  
You know what people  
want when they want  
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Print thereby. Send  
your copy to-day for  
your ad. in this paper.

Character. It's by W. K. K.

If You Want A Piano

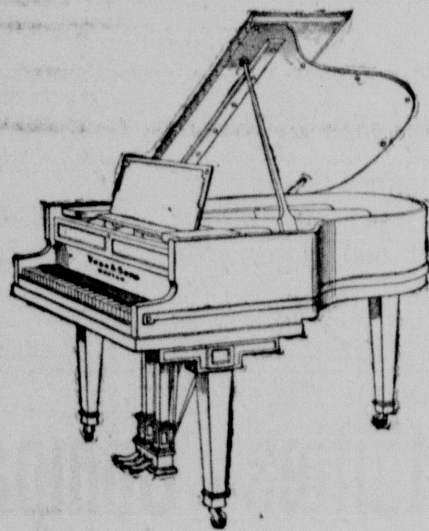
for service, go beneath the veneer  
and varnish, which merely gives  
appearance, and see what kind of  
workmanship there is inside, test  
the tone quality and learn fully  
what kind of a piano you are offered.

THIS is what we invite you to do if you  
come here. We want you to KNOW everything  
about OUR pianos-- for the more you investigate  
the more firm will be your confidence in their value.

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A. B. Chase Vose Apollo Players Schaeffer Kingsbury Wellington  
Pianos Pianos Pianos Pianos Pianos Pianos





# GRAND OPENING!

Another period in the progress of The Bee Hive will take place when with much pleasure we shall present

to the people of Dixon and vicinity our modern arranged and enlarged store on

## THURSDAY

March 13th, 1913

Three floors stocked with new fresh and judiciously purchased merchandise will be shown to the public. The main floor is devoted to everything usually kept in a dry goods department :



### Dry Goods Dept.

All the latest Dress Goods Fabrics have been gathered and will be shown by polite clerks.

Everything in CORSETS, HOSIERY, NECKWEAR and DRY GOODS NOTIONS has been gathered to show the people that Dixon has a Dry Goods Store equal to any city.

The Second Floor has been enlarged and takes in the entire length of the 115 feet long building. Everything in

LADIES' MISSES' CHILDREN'S AND BABIES'

### Ready-to-Wear

Is here presented. We will be showing everything that is new.



### Coats, Suits, Dresses

Hetticoats, Muslin Underwear, etc. A Fine Rest-room and Toilet Room, with telephone is provided for the exclusive use of the public.

### Our Basement Dept.

Is stocked with a complete line of China Dinnerware, Glassware, Kitchen Hardware, Window Shades, Toys and Special Shoe Bargains.

We will make every effort to make your visit Thursday, Friday and Saturday next, a memorable one and cordially invite you to see us

### Shoe Department



It is needless to say that there is no equally as well conducted shoe department in the state of Illinois. We have devoted our main efforts to the study of what ladies men and children need most in the shoe line. We have secured the best makes to be obtained. We have secured the lowest prices and guarantees of satisfactory wear. We are and employ the best fitters and here you are always assured of courteous attendants. The stock being shown on this occasion will be a delight to all who wish to see nice shoes.

Gordon  
SILK HOSIERY

EICHLER BROS. BEE HIVE  
DIXON ILLINOIS

### RELIGIOUS BODY MEETS

Decennial Convention of Association Opens Today in Cleveland.

Cleveland, O., March 10.—The decennial convention of the Religious Education Association began here today and will be in session through Thursday, discussing the propagation of religious training in schools and the coordination of agencies employed in religious and civic uplift. The convention is attended by some of the foremost religious educators in the United States. Among these are many women delegates to the National Congress of Mothers, which had been invited to hold its meeting jointly with the religious association.

Ira Lahman of Franklin was here Saturday.

George Emerson was in Chicago today on business.

Harold McConkey went to Rochelle today.

Mrs. L. F. Redfern has returned from a pleasant visit to her former home in Canton, Ill.

### Dramatic Notes

#### OPERA HOUSE.

#### Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Local theatre goers will be interested in the announcement of the appearance next Friday, March 14, of the favorite southern drama, 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.'

This company has been selected with great discrimination and in the matter of scenic equipment and accessories the presentation of the play will measure up to a high standard. The engagement at the opera house is for Friday, March 14, and the following special prices will prevail: 10, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

#### PRINCESS THEATRE.

Tonight the Princess will exhibit a two reel feature entitled 'The Genius of Fort Lapawal. The story: General

Howard is threatened by one of the young chiefs of the Nez Pierce band. The old chief, Joseph, prevents a quarrel, but the Indian band is aroused to fury by the predictions of their medicine man.

Bobby, the son of Col. Mede, asks permission to marry the daughter of Col. Mede and the colonel refuses unless Bobby distinguishes himself. He and his sweetheart then place electric batteries around the wall of the fort and in a raid which follows on the fort Bobby's invention saves the fort and he secures the colonel's consent to marry his daughter.

C. W. Rodellus of Moline was here yesterday.

August Rodellus of Moline was in Dixon Sunday.

J. B. Long, D. D. Leonard, H. L. Schulte of Harmon were here Saturday on business.

Henry D. Dement of Wilmette is here to see his sister, Mrs. E. C. Parsons, who is very ill.

### NOTICE OF SING OUT DEDIMUS TO PROVE WILL.

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss. In County Court, in Probate, Estate of George Engel, Deceased.

To All Persons Interested: Notice is hereby given, that a paper purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased has been filed in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for Probate, and an Order entered in said Court, that a Dedimus, Potestatem issue therefrom on the Seventeenth day of March, A. D. 1913, to take the deposition of one of the attesting witnesses to said Will, touching the execution of the same. All persons interested may file interrogatories or cross-interrogatories, to be attached to said Commission, if they choose, before that date.

Dated the Tenth day of March, 1913.

WILLIAM C. THOMPSON, Clerk of the County Court.

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### Notes From The Sporting World

#### HOW JACK WOOD GOT HIS "BIT"

#### PUGILISTIC MANAGER GAVE EACH BOXER A STATEMENT OF EXPENSE

Jack Wood was one of the real old time pugilistic managers. He never overlooked getting what he called his 'bit.'

At one time he managed Aurelio Herrera, Maurice Thompson, Mauro Herrera and Kid Herman. Once he stopped over in St. Louis, but there was nothing doing. Jack's fighters were good men, and it wasn't many days before he managed to get them all out of St. Louis and booked in Chicago.

The four heroes made good all in one night. After they had bathed and dressed they met their manager in the back room of a cafe. They rather looked to see Wood loosen up and open some wine, but he wasn't opening anything except his visage. The exultant Aurelio Herrera did try to order wine for the crowd, but Wood sternly repressed him, reproving him for extravagant desires.

The manager drew forth the wad of well-worn bills and handed each man his money—some money—anyway—with a neat little statement of percentages. And this was how all the statements read:

Cash received for bout tonight, \$100

Railroad fare from St. Louis to Chicago, \$28.60

One-fourth for Mr. Wood's fare, \$7.15

Board at the Much-Bug Hotel, \$6.50

One-fourth of Mr. Wood's board at the Auditorium, \$1.60

Managerial percentage due Mr. Wood, 25 per cent of \$100, being \$25

Paid for witch hazel, alcohol, etc., \$1.20

Total of expenditure \$78

Balance due to the fighters, \$21.55

When Maurice Thompson received his statement he pored over it with much care and interest for several minutes. Then he arose and held

out his \$5.38 toward his manager.

'You are sure this is right, Mr. Wood,' asked he. 'You are quite sure that you didn't short change yourself or give yourself the worst of it anywhere?'

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### HARMON NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

Harmon, Mich. 8 — Mrs. P. H. Smith has sold her farm and moved to town. She has rented apartments at the Mrs. Neale house for the present.

John Sill has moved to the Scully farm southeast of Harmon, in Hamilton.

John Blackburn has moved to the Larkin farm.

John Shaffer moved last Thursday.

Christ Smith of Nelson was here Friday.

Mrs. Porbs was shopping in Harmon Friday.

Lynn Parker and wife were in Harmon Friday.

Frank Hettinger and Edw. Long spent a few days in St. Louis.

John Considine was in town Friday on business.

James Morrissey was in Harmon Friday.

Aaron Ebly of Nelson was here on Thursday.

George Brooks of Hamilton was in Harmon Friday.

Martin McDermott of Marion was here Friday.

J. W. Wadsworth was here Friday on business.

George Saum has been having the grip.

Peter Blackburn was here Friday on business.

Clyde Wise was in Harmon Friday.

Wilbur Gatchell was in Harmon on Friday.

Patrick Dumphy of Marion was shelling corn Saturday and delivering it to Walton.

Mrs. P. H. Smith and daughters were in Sterling Saturday.

W. D. Parker of Amboy was here Saturday.

Charles Roach was in Harmon Saturday.

Hugh Bradley was here Saturday on business.

John Johnson was in Harmon Saturday.

George Smith was here Saturday on business.

Peter Fitzsimmons was in Harmon Saturday.

Patrick Duffy of Eldena was in Dixon Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emmert of Natchua were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Trostle of Franklin Grove were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Morris were in Dixon Saturday from Franklin.

Read in too late to classify, A. J. Johnston's ad.

Judge R. S. Farrand and his reporter, A. C. Gossman, returned to Mt. Carroll today after spending the week-end at home.

Two picked teams will bowl at the Brunswick alleys this evening. The losing team will banquet the winners.

Peters' and Hefley's teams bowl tomorrow evening.

START MOVING STOCK.

The removal of the O. H. Brown dry goods stock to the new location in the building on Galena avenue. It will require several days to move the big stock and rearrange it in the new store room.

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## SYNOPSIS.

**CHAPTER I.**—Mrs. Varney, wife of a Confederate general, has lost one son and has another dying from wounds. She reluctantly gives her consent for Wilfred, the youngest, to join the army if his father consents. The federals are making their last assault in an effort to capture Richmond.

**CHAPTER II.**—Edith Varney secures from President Davis a commission for Capt. Thorne, who is just recovering from wounds, as chief of the telegraph at Richmond.

**CHAPTER III.**—Capt. Thorne tells Edith he has been ordered away. She declares he must not go and tells him of the commission from the president. He is strangely agitated and declares he cannot accept.

**CHAPTER IV.**—Thorne decides to escape while Edith leaves the room to get the commission, but is prevented by the arrival of Caroline Mitford, Wilfred's sweetheart.

**CHAPTER V.**—Mr. Arrelsford of the Confederate secret service, a rejected suitor of Edith's, detects Jonas, Mrs. Varney's butler, carrying a note from a prisoner in Libby prison. Arrelsford suspects it is intended for Thorne. The note reads: "Attack tonight. Plan 3. Use telegraph."

**CHAPTER VI.**—Edith is indignant when Arrelsford tells her of his suspicions regarding Thorne. He declares the latter is Lewis Dumont, of the Confederate secret service and that his brother Henry is a prisoner in Libby. Edith refuses to believe and suggests that Thorne be confronted with the prisoner as a test.

**CHAPTER VII.**—Edith detains Thorne while the prisoner is sent for. An order comes from General Varney for Wilfred to report to the front at once.

**CHAPTER VIII.**—Edith is forced to carry out her part in the test of Thorne. She gives him the message taken from Jonas, which he reads without betraying himself. He suspects that he is being watched.

**CHAPTER IX.**—The prisoner is thrust into the room alone with Thorne, who recognizes him as his elder brother, Henry Dumont. They put up a fake fight. Henry implores his brother to shoot him in the leg. Thorne refuses and Henry accidentally kills himself. Arrelsford rushes into the room with the guard. Thorne nonchalantly says: "Corporal, here is your prisoner, we had a fight and I shot him."

**CHAPTER X.**—Caroline goes to the war department telegraph office to send a message.

**CHAPTER XI.**—Arrelsford refuses to let Caroline's message go through. It is a telegram to Wilfred simply asking forgiveness, but Arrelsford suspects a double meaning. He and Edith secretly themselves to watch Thorne, whose arrival Arrelsford expects.

**CHAPTER XII.**—Thorne takes charge of the telegraph office and after satisfying himself that he is alone attempts to send a message. He is interrupted by the arrival of a messenger from the secretary of war with a dispatch.

**CHAPTER XIII.**—Arrelsford and Edith see Thorne after the secretary's dispatch. Thorne is shot in the wrist by Arrelsford when he attempts to send it. Arrelsford calls the guard, and when they appear Thorne turns the tables by ordering the arrest of Arrelsford.

## CHAPTER XIV.

### The Call of the Key.

This astonishing dénouement fairly paralyzed Arrelsford. With a daring and ability for which he had not given Thorne credit, and which was totally unexpected, although what he had learned of his previous career might have given him some warning, the tables had been turned upon him by a man whom he confidently fancied he had entrapped beyond possibility of escape!

His amazement held him speechless for a moment, but his natural resourcefulness came back to him with his returning presence of mind. He knew the futility of an attempt to struggle with his captors, he therefore decided to try to reason with them.

"Sergeant," he began, quietly enough, "my orders are—"

But Thorne would not let him continue. Having gained the advantage he was determined to keep it to the end and for that purpose he followed up his first blow, ruthlessly pressing his charge hard.

"Damn your orders!" he interrupted furiously. "You haven't got orders to shoot up everybody you see in this office, have you?"

This was too much for Arrelsford, and he made a desperate plunge forward to get at Thorne, who shook his wounded wrist in the secret service agent's face. The soldiers held him tightly, however, and Thorne continued hotly:

"Get his gun away, sergeant; he'll hurt somebody."

While the soldiers—who appeared to entertain no doubt and to have no hesitancy whatever about obeying Thorne's orders, the latter evidently the military man of the two and his voice and bearing, to say nothing of his uniform, telling heavily against a civilian like Arrelsford—were taking the revolver out of his hands, Thorne once more turned to the telegraph table. His blood was up and he would send the dispatch now before the whole assemblage, before the Confederate government or its army if necessary.

Arrelsford burst out in a last vain attempt to stop him:

"Listen to me, sergeant," he pleaded desperately, "he is going to send out a false telegram and—"

"That'll do," gruffly said the sergeant of the guard, shaking his fist in Arrelsford's face, "what is it all about, captain?"

"All about? I haven't the slightest idea. He says he comes from some office or other, I was sending off some

important official dispatches here and he began by letting off his gun at me. Crazy lunatic, I think."

"It's a lie!" said Arrelsford furiously. "Let me speak—I will prove—"

"Here!" said the sergeant of the guard, "that'll do now. What shall I do with him, captain?"

"I don't care a damn what you do with him. Get him out of here, that's all I want."

"Very well, sir. Are you much hurt?" "Oh, no. He did up one hand, but I can get along with the other all right," said Thorne, sitting down at the table and seizing the key.

"Stop him!" cried Arrelsford, fully divining that Thorne intended to send the message. "He's sending a—wait!"

A thought came to him. "Ask Miss Varney, she saw him—ask Miss Varney."

But the old sergeant of the guard paid no attention whatever to his frantic appeals.

"Here, fall in there!" he said. "We'll get him out, captain. Have you got him, men? Forward then!"

Struggling furiously the squad of soldiers forced Arrelsford to the door. Thorne paid absolutely no attention to them; he had forgotten their presence. Like his attention, his mind and heart were on the key again. But he was



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fated to meet with still another interruption. "Halt there!" cried a sharp voice from the hall, just as the group reached the door.

"Halt! Left face!" cried the sergeant in turn, recognizing that here was a superior whom it were well to obey without question or hesitation.

"Here is General Randolph," said the voice outside, giving the name of one of the high officers of the Richmond garrison.

"Present arms!" cried the sergeant of the guard as General Randolph appeared in the doorway.

Following him were some officers of his staff and by his side was the imposing figure of Miss Caroline Mitford. The humiliation and indignation had vanished from her bearing which was one of unmitigated triumph. She threw a glance at Arrelsford which bode ill for that young man. The general entered the room and stopped before the secret service agent, who stood in front of the guard, although he had been released by the men.

"What's all this about?" he asked peremptorily.

Although he knew that something important was transpiring, and that the newcomer was a man of rank, Thorne never turned his head. At whatever cost, he realized he must get the telegram off, and from the look of things it appeared that his only chance was then and there. He did not care if the president of the Confederate States of America were there in person, his mind and soul were on the order. He was frantically calling the station he wanted, the one indicated by "Plan 3," and he had the doctored dispatch, to which he had pasted the secretary's signature, spread out on the table before him.

"What's all this about, refusing to send out Miss Mitford's telegram?" began General Randolph peremptorily. "Some of your work, I understand, Mr. Arrelsford."

"General!" cried Arrelsford breathlessly. "They have arrested me. It is a conspiracy—"

He turned toward Thorne. "Stop that man, for God's sake stop him before it's too late!"

At this juncture, Caroline Mitford turned from the room and joined old Martha in the hall, and disappeared. She had only come back with the general to punish Arrelsford, but she did not care to have her precious dispatch made the subject of discussion before so many people.

"Stop him!" exclaimed the general. "What do you mean?"

It was evident that the dispatch was not to go out then. Thorne had not succeeded in getting an answer to his signal. He left the key, rose and saluted.

"He means me, sir," he said. "He's got an idea some dispatch I'm sending out is a trick of the Yankees."

"Silence, sir," thundered Randolph.

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"Why, the man must have gone crazy, general," said Thorne coolly, holding his position by the table and listening with all his ears for the return signal.

"I came here on a case for—" expostulated Arrelsford.

"Wait!" said General Randolph. "I will soon get at the bottom of this. What was he doing when you came in, sergeant?" he asked of the non-commissioned officer in charge of the guard.

"He was firing on the captain, sir," answered the sergeant saluting.

"He was sending out a false order to weaken our lines at Cemetery Hill, and I—ah—Miss Varney, she was here. She saw it all," explained Arrelsford.

"Miss Varney!" exclaimed the general.

"Yes, sir."

"The general's daughter?"

"Yes, sir."

"Yes, sir," answered Thorne.

"What is he saying?"

Thorne stepped to the table and bent over the clicking key. "His compliments, sir," he read off slowly. "He asks—waiting for a few minutes—for the rest—still another pause—"

"Of that dispatch—he says it's of vital importance, sir, and—"

The communication which Thorne had made to General Randolph was in itself of vital importance. The general was too good a soldier not to know the danger of delay in the carrying out of military maneuver which was probably part of some general plan of attack or defense of which he was not privy. He made up his mind instantly. He took the watch from the hand of the sergeant and turned it over to Thorne again.

"Let him have it," he said decisively. The captain with his heart pounding like mad sat down at the table and seized the key. Was he going to complete the dispatch? Was the plan to be carried out. Had he triumphed in the bold and desperately played game by his splendid courage, resourcefulness, and assurance? His eyes shone, the color came back into his pale cheeks as his hands trembled on the key.

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This information and the fact that the president will endeavor to use personal persuasion not only with members of his own party, but with the Progressive Republicans who are inclined to be friendly, came from those who have talked with him since his inauguration.

It has not been determined whether currency will be taken up at the special session.

It was learned that when the president believes the time is ripe for such legislation he will call into conference such men as Representative Glass of Virginia, head of the committee that has been investigating currency questions, to agree upon the outline of a bill that would have administration backing.

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Congressional leaders practically are agreed upon the suggestion that no subject but the tariff should be taken up in the special session.

President Wilson's plan as to legislation is not necessarily to insist on the strict acceptance of administration measures as such. But he will endeavor to secure the accomplishment of legislation with the aid of Democratic leaders that will express fully the fixed purposes of the administration.

A part of the president's plan—and in this he will have the support of many house leaders—is to keep the eyes of the nation on one particular measure at a time. This was his line of procedure as governor of New Jersey in pushing through the seven anti-trust bills.

Consult House Leaders. The president is expected to consult with house leaders this week over the form of some of the tariff revision bills. The newly designated members of the ways and means committee have been at work for two days and will continue throughout next week on the preparation of these measures.

President Wilson already has made a study of some of the tariff bills of the last two sessions, and Secretaries Redfield and Bryan are also thoroughly familiar with recent Democratic work on the tariff. Before any of the measures are ready for presentation to the house, they will have received the studios examination of the president and his cabinet.

The ways and means committee is now giving attention to the possible effect of the tariff reductions on business prosperity. The president's desire to have currency reform undertaken as early as possible springs from the belief that a flexible currency system is necessary to meet the physical changes on business resulting from changes in tariff rates.

While the president anticipates but little difficulty in the prompt movement of tariff measures through the house, he is somewhat solicitous over the situation in the senate, where the Democratic majority is small.

## DARROW TRIAL FAILS

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Just one declaration of the lawyer during his plea for liberty settled the case with the men who held his fate in their hands. Darrow declared that, although the bomb which destroyed the Los Angeles Times building had killed 20 men, the McNamara brothers were not murderers, but workers in a great cause.

Immediately after the verdict was announced counsel for Darrow made a motion for a new trial. There was no objection on the part of District Attorney Fredericks, and after a short parley Judge Conley fixed March 31 as the date.



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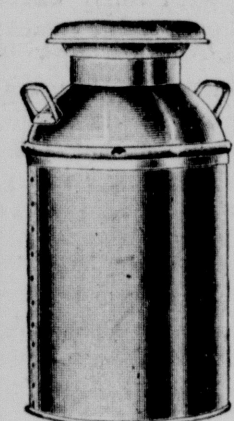
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